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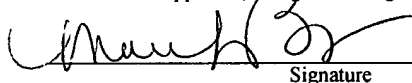
Applicant(s) Haaf Klaus
Serial No. 10/799,256
For Combinatorial active compound synthesis and its intermediates
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action (Restriction Requirement) mailed October 19, 2004,

Applicants provisionally elect the subject matter of Group I, claims 1-4, drawn to a process of

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making compound of the formula I, and Applicants further elect for examination purposes, the species comprising the process of preparation of compound N-(2-chloro-benzoyl)-3-(isopropylamino)-benzolsulfonamide (as described in the example 3.2 of the specification).

This election is made with traverse.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), Applicants petition the Assistant Commissioner to extend the time period to file a response by five (5) months. A check for \$2160.00 is enclosed to cover the cost of the petition. If, however, an additional fee is due, the Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge such fee, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 50-0320.